

STATUS: Closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Personnel actions (appointments, promotions, assignments, reassignments, and salary actions) involving individual Federal Reserve System employees.

2. Any matters carried forward from a previously announced meeting.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Lynn S. Fox, Assistant to the Board; 202-452-3204.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: You may call 202-452-3206 beginning at approximately 5 p.m. two business days before the meeting for a recorded announcement of bank and bank holding company applications scheduled for the meeting; or you may contact the Board's Web site at <http://www.federalreserve.gov> for an electronic announcement that not only lists applications, but also indicates procedural and other information about the meeting.

Dated: July 7, 1999.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Secretary publishes a list of information collections it has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance in compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) and 5 CFR 1320.5. The following are those information collections recently submitted to OMB.

1. Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments (45 CFR Part 92)—0990-0169—Extension No Change—Pre-award, post-award, and subsequent reporting and recordkeeping requirements are necessary to award, monitor, close out and manage grant programs, ensure minimum fiscal control and accountability for Federal funds and deter fraud, waste and abuse. Respondents: State and Local Governments; Number of Respondents: 4000; Average Burden per Respondent: 70 hours; Total Burden: 280,000 hours.
OMB Desk Officer: Allison Eydt.

Copies of the information collection packages listed above can be obtained by calling the OS Reports Clearance Officer on (202) 690-6207. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent directly to the OMB desk officer designated above at the following address: Human Resources and Housing Branch, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, 725 17th Street NW, Washington, DC 20503. Comments may also be sent to Cynthia Agens Bauer, OS Reports Clearance Officer, Room 503H, Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20201. Written comments should be received within 30 days of this notice.

Dated: July 1, 1999.

Dennis P. Williams,

Deputy Assistant Secretary, Budget.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

Pilot Training and Research Program; Demonstration Project; Studies in Clinical Pharmacology and New Drug Review Technologies; Availability of Cooperative Agreements; Request for Applications

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (CDER) is announcing the anticipated availability of funds for training and research cooperative agreements for fiscal year (FY) 2000. This pilot program is a demonstration project to evaluate the extent to which such a program can contribute to an identifiable increase in the number of trained biomedical, scientific personnel in clinical pharmacology. Research will be conducted to study clinical pharmacology and biopharmaceutics issues related to new drug development and review. If funds are appropriated in FY 2000 for the program, FDA anticipates that approximately \$3.0 million will be available. FDA anticipates making 4 to 10 cooperative agreement awards to domestic medical schools at \$300,000 to \$750,000 per award per year (direct and indirect costs). Support for these agreements may be for up to 3 years. The number of agreements funded will depend on

the quality of the applications received and the availability of Federal funds to support the projects.

DATES: Submit applications by August 9, 1999. If the closing date falls on a weekend, it will be extended to Monday; if the date falls on a holiday, it will be extended to the following workday.

ADDRESSES: Application forms are available from, and completed applications should only be submitted to: Rosemary Springer, Senior Grants Management Specialist (HFA-520), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-827-7182. Applications hand-carried or commercially delivered should be addressed to 5630 Fishers Lane, rm. 2129, Rockville, MD 20852. Application forms can also be found at "<http://www.nih.gov/grants/phs398/forms-toc.html>".

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Regarding the administrative and financial management aspects of this notice: Rosemary Springer (address above).

Regarding the programmatic aspects of this notice: Shiew-Mei Huang, Office of Clinical Pharmacology and Biopharmaceutics, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (HFD-850), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-594-5690.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: FDA, CDER is announcing the anticipated availability of funds for FY 2000 for awarding cooperative agreements to support post-doctoral training of clinical pharmacologists. The training to be supported will be research studies related to new drug development and review. FDA will support the studies covered by this notice under Pub. L. 102-222. The law authorizes a pilot program for training additional clinical pharmacologists. If funding is available, FDA will award Demonstration Cooperative Agreements to evaluate the extent to which such a program can contribute to increasing the number of trained biomedical, scientific personnel in clinical pharmacology. FDA's extramural program is described in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance, No. 93.948.

The Public Health Service (PHS) strongly encourages all award recipients to provide a smoke-free work place and to discourage the use of all tobacco products. This is consistent with the PHS mission to protect and advance the physical and mental health of the American people. PHS urges applicants to submit work plans that address